GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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ALLOCATION OF FUND FOR RURAL WATER SUPPLY UNDER PMGY
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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the proposed outlay for rural water supply programme under the Pradhan Mantri Gramodaya Yojana during 2002-2003 and 2003-2004, State-wise;

(b) the details of the funds released/utilised under the scheme during the said period, State-wise;

(c) the details of the projects implemented under ARWSP at present, State-wise; and

(d) the numbers of families benefited under the above schemes during the said period?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ANNASAHEB M.K.PATIL)

(a) & (b) Details of outlay and release, for various States, in respect of rural drinking water component of Pradhan Mantri Gramodaya Yojana for the years 2002-2003 and 2003-2004 State-wise are indicated in Annex - I.

(c) & (d) Water supply is a State subject. Various schemes for providing drinking water supply facilities are implemented by the State Governments from their own resources. The Central Government only supplements the State Government`s efforts by providing assistance under the Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme (ARWSP)All powers to plan, sanction and implement rural water supply schemes have been delegated to the State Governments. The details of projects implemented by the State Governments under ARWSP are available with the State Governments.However, the status of implementation of the ARWSP monitored in terms of rural habitations covered with drinking water is as in the Statement at Annex - II.